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**PATENT**

**Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure - Technology Center 3700**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Kenichi TABATA, et al.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 15, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached.